



Dominica Geothermal
Development Company Limited
Powering a New Generation...

Bid Clarification Request (In accordance with ITB 7.1)

Reference Number:
RZ042100-PGG-COM-0049

Dominica Geothermal Risk Mitigation Project Contract

Subject: Bid Clarification 0049 - Contractor's Responsibilities

Bid Document Clause: GCC 9.3, 10.3

Detailed description of request

Referring to Part 3, Contractor's Responsibilities.

The Contractor shall acquire and pay for all permits, approvals and/or licenses from all local, state or national government authorities or public service undertakings in the country where the Site is located which such authorities or undertakings require the Contractor to obtain in its name and which are necessary for the performance of the Contract, including, without limitation, visas for the Contractor's and Subcontractor's personnel and entry permits for all imported Contractor's Equipment.

The Contractor shall acquire all other permits, approvals and/or licenses that are not the responsibility of the Employer under GCC Sub-Clause 10.3 hereof and that are necessary for the performance of the Contract.

Please clarify the list of permits that the contractor shall acquire and pay concerning this contract.

Enclosures: None

Response:

The DGDC has a Geothermal Resource Concession agreement (issued under the Geothermal Resources Development Act 2016) hereinafter called the Concession Agreement, to utilise the geothermal resource.

In accordance with the Concession Agreement, the DGDC is granted (and therefore by extension, the Contractor is granted):

- development permission and building permission in is required by sections 17(1) and 62 of the Physical Planning Act 2002, and
- certificate of approval as required by section 10 of the Environment Health Services Act 1997, and
- consent as required by section 7 of the Noise Abatement Act.

The granting of building permission is the granting of a building permit as required by the Dominica Building Code (draft).

The DGDC will shortly have a generation license issued in accordance with section 29(1) of the Electricity Supply Act 2006.

However, the granting of permits, consents and certificates as noted above does not excuse the Contractor from complying with all the controls as set out in the Physical Planning Act 2002, Environment Health Services Act 1997 and Noise Abatement Act; all control requirements of these Acts must be complied with. That includes, but is not limited to, the provision of all required documentation (including that which would normally be required to apply for permits) and adherence and compliance to/with all required inspections.

The Contractor is responsible for all other permits, including but not necessarily limited to, Work Permits.

Note: the various Acts referenced above may be obtained from: <http://www.dominica.gov.dm/laws-of-dominica>



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This clarification does not require an Addendum to the Bid Document.

Please acknowledge receipt of this clarification by completing the below information and returning to the sender:

Bidder Company Name _____

Bidder Contact Name _____

Date Received _____